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**In re U.S. Patent Application of
YAMAMOTO et al.**

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**For: SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE
AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF**

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Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

☒ The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS ALREADY PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	16	16	(Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	2	2	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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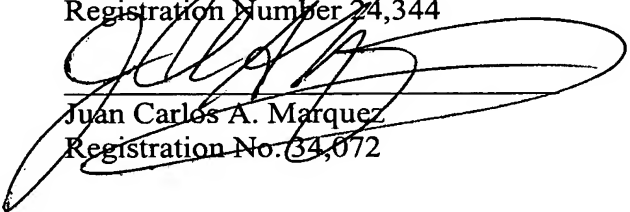
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☐ Substitute Specification
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